

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Friday, July 4:

- The church office will be closed.

Sunday, July 13:

- Outdoor worship at 10:00 am.

Friday, July 18:

- North Presbyterian Church Arts Gala at 5:30 pm.

Sunday, July 27:

- Labre Ministry Serving at North Church at 10:15 am.

Information on all events are listed on the church website (www.fhcpresb.org), monthly TOWER located on the church information tables in the church hallways, and our digital and paper bulletin boards located outside of the sanctuary. You may also scan the QR code below.



*Special thanks to Danielle Cosgrove
for her help in worship today.*

Prayer Requests: To request prayers for a personal concern, please email the church office (office@fhcpresb.org).

Prayers are requested this week for: Jennifer Blakeney, Elsie Boyd, Janet Dauer, Bob Dawson, Diane Doyle, Sheryl Dugard, Deborah Howard, Chuck and Jane Ishler, Jessica Owusu, Roz Peters, Ron Register, and Joyce Senger.

Please remember these homebound members in your prayers: Kemp Jaycox, Ron Klein, Carol Hopkins-Lutz, Pat Musick, Grace Uhle and Warren Young.

Care Groups will assist our pastor with members' needs. Please call the church office to report an illness, hospitalization, family emergency, birth or death. Information will be passed on to the head of the Deacons.

The Deacon Card Ministry, with cards for all occasions, is available in Fellowship Hall most Sundays after worship. Deacon Nathaniel Martin will be happy to help you pick a card for someone who needs to hear from you and our church. Brighten someone's day with a reminder of our care.

Thank you, office volunteers: Joan Bacon, Lynda Bernays, Cathy Ghiandoni, Nancy Grube, and Kim Hill.

Thank you, Stream Team Volunteers! Anyone interested in helping stream Sunday services should contact Kurt Haas at kurt@dangereddy.com.

Please remember to leave your name tag in the appropriate column on the magnetic board outside Fellowship Hall before you leave today. You want it to be waiting for you next week!

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The Rev. Dr. Gene McAfee, Transitional Pastor
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The Rev. Carol Wedell, Parish Associate

FOREST HILL CHURCH, PRESBYTERIAN

The Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 29, 2025 – 10:00AM



You may also join worship online using this link:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VDKcRfgbyo>

**Please stand in body and/or spirit.*

Childcare is provided for children ages birth to five years from 9:45 am – 11:15 am in Rooms 201/203. Older children (ages 6+) join their families for summer worship in the sanctuary.

CENTERING WORDS

“Why is there something rather than nothing?” – Question asked by many, including the philosopher Gottfried Wilhelm Leibnitz (1646-1716)

GATHERING MUSIC

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

Danielle Cosgrove

Whether we rise early or linger in rest,

God is with us.

In our waking and in our sleeping,

God is with us.

In our joys and in our sorrows,

God is with us.

In our dreaming and in our longing,

God is with us.

With us, in every day and in every way, our God is with us.

For the ordinary, everyday presence of the divine, we will give thanks and praise!

***HYMN NO. 15**

“All Creatures of Our God and King”
(vv. 1, 4, 6)

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God who sees all, knows all, and loves all, especially the hurting and suffering of your creation: hear our prayer. Hear the sins we confess and the sins we are too ashamed to name. Hear the anguished cries, the broken hearts, and the withered dreams. Hear the hurtful realities for which we cannot find words. Hear, too, our deep desire to be better, to act better, and to love better. Hear, Holy One, we humbly pray, and forgive.

SILENCE

KYRIE HYMN NO. 456

“Listen, God Is Calling”

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

***RESPONSE** “Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me”

***PASSING OF THE PEACE**

MUSIC “This Is My Father's World” arr. Walters
Madelaine Matej MacQueen, soprano

Ushers will collect prayer requests.

SCRIPTURE

Ecclesiastes 3:1-15 (page 547)
Luke 12:22-34 (page 847)

***HYMN NO. 48**

“Rain Down”

SERMON

“The Blessed Ordinary”

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE PRAYER OF OUR SAVIOR

Our Loving Parent, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kin-dom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

FRIENDSHIP REGISTER/ANNOUNCEMENTS

To participate in our online Friendship Register, please leave a comment in the Live Chat box listing the names of those participating in this morning's Live Worship or email the office.

CALL TO GIVING

OFFERING

By texting: 216-400-5300

You may give online with PayPal, credit or debit card:

www.fhcbresb.org

Or you may also mail a check to the church office

OFFERTORY

“When Love Is Found” arr. Hopson
Madelaine Matej MacQueen, soprano

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Help us, God, to see our riches and the richness of our lives. Help us, through your blessing, to be more generous in the ways we share and in the ways we live. For your love's sake we ask this. Amen.

***HYMN NO. 20**

“All Things Bright and Beautiful”

***BENEDICTION AND CHARGE**

Lord prepare me to be a sanctuary, pure and holy, tried and true; With thanksgiving, I'll be a living sanctuary for you.

DEPARTING MUSIC